

**In the
Indiana Supreme Court**

STATE OF INDIANA

vs.

ROY LEE WARD

) Supreme Court No. 74S00-0609-SJ-323

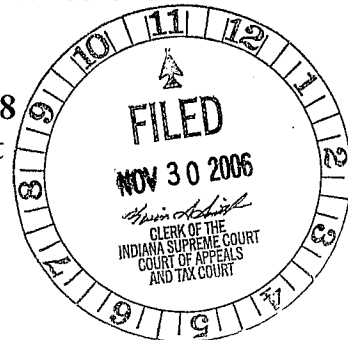
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Case No. 74C01-0107-CF-158
in the Spencer Circuit Court



ORDER APPOINTING SPECIAL JUDGE

Comes now the Honorable Wayne A. Roell, Judge of the Spencer Circuit Court, and on his own motion recuses himself and remands this cause to the Court for appointment of a special judge.

And this Court, being duly advised, now finds that a special judge should be appointed to hear this matter in the Spencer Circuit Court pursuant to Ind. Criminal Rule 13.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that the Honorable Robert J. Pigman is appointed as special judge to hear this matter in the Spencer Circuit Court. This order vests jurisdiction in Judge Pigman. Pursuant to Ind. Trial Rule 79(K), an oath of office is not required.

The Clerk of this Court is directed to forward notice of this Order to the Hon. Wayne A. Roell, Spencer Circuit Court, P.O. Box 152, Rockport, IN 47635-0152; to the Hon. Robert J. Pigman, Vanderburgh Superior Court, 825 Sycamore, #122, Evansville, IN 47708-1885; and to the Clerk of the Spencer Circuit Court.

The Clerk of the Spencer Circuit Court is directed to forward notice of this Order to all parties of record in the case below.

DONE at Indianapolis, Indiana, this 30th day of November, 2006.

RT Shepard

Randall T. Shepard
Chief Justice of Indiana